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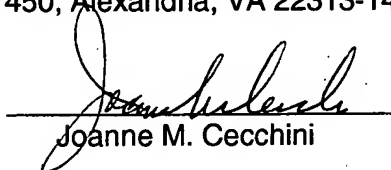
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RESPONSE

This Response is in reply to the Office Action mailed June 7, 2006 in the subject application. In response to the Office Action, please consider the applicant's remarks as follows.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 4 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 6 of this paper.

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